Patent Attorney Docket No. <u>450106-05224</u> In re Patent Application of Masaki Hirose, et al. Group Art Unit: 2164 Application No.: 10/560,153 Examiner: Quader, Fazlul Filed: March 5, 2007 Confirmation No.: 9466 For: INFORMATION PROCESS APPARATUS) AND METHOD, PROGRAM RECORD MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER Mail Stop Amendment Date: April 25, 2008 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 for the above-identified patent application. A Petition for Extension of Time of one month is enclosed. Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \(\sum \) \\$ 65 \(\sum \) \\$ 130 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. Also enclosed is/are _____. Small entity status is hereby claimed.

Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$\square\$ \$395 \$\square\$ \$790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
Applicant(s) request that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.
Applicant(s) previously submittedonfor which continued examination is requested.
Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) is enclosed.

	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.
\boxtimes	No additional claim fee is required.
	An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS						
	No. of Claims	Highest No of Claims Previously Paid for	Extra Claims	Rate	Addi	tional Fee
Total Claims	6	20	0	x 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	4	4	0	x 210 (1201)	\$	0
☐ If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$ 360 (1203)						0
Total Claim Amendment Fee						0
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee						0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0

	Charge	to Deposit Account No. 50-0320 for the fee due.				
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\boxtimes	The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.					

Respectfully submitted,

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